DYING.

EX-SECRETARY MANNING NEARING

His Physicians Say He Can Not Live till Noon---A Wonderful Dis-. play of Vitality.

His Family and Near Friends Gathered Around the Bedside Awaiting the Invincible Monarch.

A Family Exterminated by the Explosion of Natural Gas at Findlay, Ohio, Other News.

ALBANY, Dec. 22, 10:12 a. m.-Mr. Manning continues to sink slowly, and may survive until this afternoon, but hardly

live until sunset.

3555 p. m.-Mr. Manning has rallied slightly, but his death cannot be very far

The doctor left Mr. Manning at 4:20 p. The doctor left was a surprised at his symptoms. He may live till early morning.

The condition of ex-Secretary Manning at this hour (9:15 p. m.) is about the same as at 4 p. m. though he is andoubtedly

weaker.

Mr. Manning's condition at midnight shows little change and it was thought he would live through the night. His vitality is surprising, but as he takes no nourishment, and is growing weaker, the end cannot be much longer averted. He remains most of the time in a semi-stupor from which he occasionally arouses. During these times he is perfectly conscious.

A FAMILY EXTERMINATED.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 22.—A Commercial-Gazette Findlay, O., special says: At 2:30 threat. this afternoon a natural gas explosion occurred in the frame dwelling house of curred in the frame dwelling house of James Lunday. In the house were James Lunday, his wife and three children. Mrs. Lunday attempted to light the gas in the stove, when the gas exploded, blowing out the east end of the house and the family with it. Mr. Lunday's hair was burned, as was Mrs. Lunday's hair and clothing. Toward evening Mrs. Lunday died a raving maniac. One child is now dying of its way to Sacramento, Cal., the lady on application to the ticket office the ing maniac. One child is now dying of its injuries. Mr. Landay is now a maniac from his hurts and the loss of his wife, and the two remaining children are in great agony from burns.

southwest, changing as it increased to the anothwest, with frequent snow squalls. At 2:30 p. m., the wind suddenly increased to a hurrican from the northwest, reaching a velocity of over sixty miles per hour, at 3:30, and still continues. Tonight will be a bitter cold one for the life saving parrol on the beaches, and the worst of the rol on the beaches, and the worst of the season. Vessels are having a hard fight, as the sea is running very high. A fleet of ressels which left this afternoon has nearly all put back, more or less damaged. Several vessels which sought to come in ere blown out to sea

THE N. E. S. OF P.

PHILADEPHIA, Dec. 22.—The seventh ananal festival of the New Englad society of Pennsylvania was given at the Contiental hotel tonight and was attended by the largest number of members ever present at an annual dinner in the history of sut at an annual dinner in the history of the society, 220 people seating themselves at the board. Senator Wm. Evarts, of New York, Henry Sabot Lodge, of Massa-chusetts, and Governor Beaver, of this state, made speeches, Letters of regret were read from John G. Whittier, Oliver Wendell Holmes, General A. G. Terry, Hon. Jos. H. Chamberlain, of England, and an amusingly humorous one from Robert G. Burdette, in the old Yankee di-

THE K. OF L.'S NEW LABEL.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 22.—The national dissent and special legislation was enacted concerning the yellow label of Knights of Labor made cigars, which was adopted at this convention. This yellow label will hereafter be placed upon all cigars made in factories where Knights of Labor are employed, and a resolution was adopted before adjournment requesting all other trades to give preference to goods manufactured by members of the new organization, which will be one of their trade marks.

THE WEATHER.

rain or snow in northern portion; winds becoming fresh to brisk northwesterly. For Kansas: Warmer, fair weather, ex-

cept light rain or snow in northern portion; winds becoming brisk to high northerly and then light to fresh variable.

PLUMB'S WAY.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.-Senator Plumb has introduced a bill to authorize the creation of a board composed of the secretary of the interior, for the purpose of recom-mending each year the erection of such public buildings for postoffices and other purposes not to cost more than \$100,000, as taking all the surrounding circumstances lute account the board shall think ought to be incurred. to be incurred.

COLD WEATHER IN TEXAS.

Galveston, Dec. 22.-Freezing weather prevailed here all day, and the city is covered with a coat of ice. The freezing line extends beyond the Rio Grande, some distance into Mexico. Despatches to the News show that very cold weather prevails throughout all the great cattle districts of Texas. Reports of suffering by exposed cattle are being received. A heavy sleet is falling here tonight.

A WOMAN BEATEN. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 22.-As Mrs. Manning, who is connected with the Maxwell millinery store of this city, was returning home after the day's work, she was followed by two men, and when she reached her gate was attacked by them and terribly beaten. It was thought at first that her skull was fractured, but the doctors at this hour think her injuries will not prove fatal. The scoundrels are being hunted by the police. Money was evidently the object of the attack.

the Clan na Gael society, and Melville, formerly agent of the society in London, who are charged with being connected with the dynamite conspiracy in which Calan and Parkins are alleged to have taken part. taken part.

HOWSON'S BODY INCINEATED. FRESH POND, N. Y., Dec. 22.—The body of John Howson, the actor, who died on Friday last, was incinerated at Mt. Olivet. crematory here this afternoon. The body was placed in the retort at 3 o'clock, in the presence of the two brothers of the de-ceased. There were no ceremonies.

KANSAS IN GOOD SHAPE. ATCHISON, Kan., Dec. 22.-There is no lack of fuel or food anywhere in northtier of counties. The food supply is ample, and fuel in sufficient quanties is being shipped as wanted all through this

section. Kansas is in good shape. ABILENE, Kan., Dec. 22.—Specials to the Gazette from points on the line of the Union Pacific and points north of the road, indicate no trouble at all, or as to the scarcity of fuel or food, reports to the contrary and fabrications of sensational newspaper correspondents.

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For Scott, Kan., Dec. 22.—The rumors of great suffering and privation incident to the extreme cold weather are untrue so far as relates to this locality. We had a light fall of snow on Tuesday, but the weather has not been excessively cold at any time.

A DANGEROUS FAMILY. St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 22.—An Ada, Minn., special to the Pioneer Press says: Sheriff Benton, of Fargo, arrived here this morning with a requisition for the arrest of Andrew Hohnodel, charged with an \$800 forgery in Cash county, Dak. Deputy till night. He is conscious when aroused, but for most of the time appears to be in a drowse. His family are at the bedside twaiting the inevitable end.

3 p. m.—Mr. Manning is unconscious and rapidly sinking, though his pulse is strong. It is not believed that he can live until sunset. for dead by their assailants, who fied to the woods. The injured men were found and cared for by neighbors. They will re-cover. The sheriff is organizing a posse to pursue the Hohnodels.

AN AGED SINNER. REDSTONE JUNCTION, Pa., Dec. 22. Word has been received here that Elihu Gregg, who for fifty years has been the terror of the border farmers of Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio and Maryland, was found dead a few days ago with a builet hole in his breast. Gregg was over so years old, had just been released from a term in prison in this county for horse-stealing, and went at once to West Vir-ginia, swearing the he would kill certain persons, whom he charged with treachery to him. It is supposed that he met his death at the hands of one of those mountaineers while striving to carry out the threat. Gregg was a desperate character, and in his long career as a horse and cattle thief he managed to elude justice with rare cunning and skill.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 22.-When Mrs. M. A. Wallace, a lady with snow white bair, and her young daughter. Kittle, arrived in this city late last night, on their on application to the ticket office that she injuries. Mr. Landay is now a maniae irom his hurts and the loss of his wife, and the two remaining children are in great agony from burns.

A MASSACHUSETTS HURRICANE.

Provincetown, Mass. Dec. 22.—A strong gale, with a rapidly falling barometer began at 1 o'clock today from west-ter began at 1 o'clock today from west-ter a most affecting farewell to her mother. The old lady said this afternoon that site. The old lady said this afternoon that after her husband's death her daughter's health failed and she sold all she had in the world to go to California where some cousins lived. She brayely declares that she will lived. She bravely declares that she will remain here and work until she can secure mey enough to rejoin her daughter.

AN OLD POSTMASTER. CHAMPAIGN, III., Dec. 22.—The commis

ald, shall have a new trial, was taken under advisement by the appellate court this morning. Arguments pro and con oc-PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 22.—The national convention of cigar makers completed its work late this afternoon. The constitution and by-laws were adopted without dissent and special legislation was enacted concerning the yellow label of Knights of Labor made cigars, which was adopted at convenience the convenience that we shall be a labor the same moment the McDonald arguments ended a jury was finally secured to try Dr. St. John and others for convenience that we shall be a labor that we have a fact a fact and a labor that a fact a fact and a labor that was taken under advisement by the appellate court this morning. Arguments pro and con occupied the court's attention throughout the entire day. In the criminal court this morning. complicity in the conspiracy that resulted in the escape of McDonald's fellow-boodler, ex-Warden McGarigle. The de-fense seemed entirely satisfied with the talesmen presented to select from, but the prosecution only accepted a jury after ex-hausting the power of challenge.

INHUMAN BRUTES.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 22.—This morning the police of Wyandotte found a girl. WASHINGTON, Dec. 23, 1 a. m. - For Mis- aged about 18 years, whose wits were so held a large meeting tonight, and listened souri: Firmer, fair weather, except ligh weak that she could not tell her own to congratulatory speeches on the result of name, lying half starved and almost frozen the last election. The following resolu-

marched into Tompkinsville last night and demanded that the five robbers now in juil there for robbing and burning the town be given up. They were refused and were told that if they attacked the jail there would be more men killed outside than inside the jail. The mob finally dispersed without accomplishing their object. Foremost among those who prevented a lynching were Turner Nelson and Wm. Glazbrook, the chief sufferers from the fire and robbery.

of such measures as will reduce the surplus new accumulated in the treasury, and limit the revenue to the needs of the government; but we demand American labor shall be zealously respected.

WASHINGTON'S COLORED RELATION. CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—Sarah C. Bond, a young colored woman, attempted to establish a claim for 88,000 today before Judge Tuley by proving that Mrs. Elizabeth

A BREAK FOR LIBERTY, RICHLAND, Mo., Dec., 22.—While furnishing breakfast to the prisoners in the county jail at Waynesville this morning. Arthur jail at Waynesville this morning. Arthur Waterman and George Boyden, two prisoners held for safe-blowing and robbery, overpowered Jailer Ross, forced him into a cell and made a bold break for liberty. Ross fired his revolver at the escaping prisoners, instantly killing Waterman, Boyden making good his escape. The sheriff and posse are in hot pursuit, but have not yet succeeded in capturing him.

TRIED TO THAW DYNAMITE

CINCINNATI, Dec. 22,-Ed Johnson, colorcity, placed some dynamite cartridges in the oven of his stove to than this morning. Soon after a terric explosion took place, bearly destroying his house, killing his is soon after and infant 1 year old, and seriously injuring Johnson and his wife.

Green society, and Melville, wife. ed, living two or three miles west of the

KINSLEY, Kan., Dec. 22.-All west-bound trains on the Santa Feare being sidetracked here on account of the late snow storm blocking the track between Kinsley and Dodge City. The weather is now clear and the blockade will probably be broken soon-

TO REFER IT BACK. New York, Dec. 22 - Judge Wallace, in the United States circuit court today, reased. There were no ceremonies.

75 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR.

LEAVENWORTH. Kan., Dec. 22.—At a meeting of the depositors of the defunct Citizens Savings bank, it was voted to accept an offer of 75 on the dollar.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

eastern Kansas, nor along the northern THE STEAMER CHICAGO UP TO EXPECTATIONS.

> Filling all Required of Her the Ship Will, Doubtless, be Accepted by the Government.

Yearly Report of the Minneapolis Flour Output-The Baltimore & Ohio's Extraordinary Big Mortgage,

Tammany Hall Democrats Meet and Give Out Some Resolutions-A Remarkable Outburst of Mother's Love.

A BIG STEAMBOAT.

The Trial Trip of the Chicago Proves a Grand Success.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22 .- "How about the trial trip of the Chicago?" was the question asked one of the engineer officers by a re-

"It was a grand success in every partic" ular," was the reply, as the gentleman stopped figuring on what was apparently a diagram of the workings of the engine, and what is called an indicator card. As there had been some doubts upon the subthere had been some doubts upon the sub-ject of the vessel having made the proper amount of horse power, the exact quantity of which was not determined on the day of her steam trial, the reporter asked the direct question as to what had been accomplished, and was informed that the main engines made about 4,890 horse-power, and to this was to be added what was done by the circuiating be added what was done by the circulating pumps, blower, engines and compartment pumps, and in fact all the auxiliary pumps and engines for the working of which steam and horse power are required, which brings the grand total up to about eighty horse-power over what the contract called for, or, in other words, about 5,000, a few more or less, making but little difference as long as the required number is exceeded more or less, making but little difference as long as the required number is exceeded. The navy department's order, received to-day, to have the work of mastering her at once proceeded with, indicates that she will be accepted as a regular vessel of the navy and made ready for cruising purposes as rapidly as possible, and to carry out the order she will in a few days be moved from her present position at the ordnance wharf to a more convenient place for wharf to a more convenient place for handling her spars and getting them in place. Meanwhile the unfinished portion of her battery will be pushed toward com-pletion in order that there may be no delay pleaton in order that there may be no detay in getting her out. The electric lighting plant will also be very soon ready for trial, and experts say that she is a model for for all larger vessels to follow in the way the wires have been run and the general plan of the instalment which is being put in by the Edison company, under the sup of Lieut. Veeder of the navy. —

A TREMENDOUS MORTGAGE. BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 22.-The Baltimore & Ohio railroad today executed on record a consolidated mortgage to the Mercantile Trust and Deposit company, of Baltimore, of \$29,000 to cover the issue of consolidated mortgage bonds. The mort-Champaign, Ill., Dec. 22.—The commis-sion of Eli N. McAllister, postmaster in floating indebtedness and to call in and sion of Eli N. McAllister, postmaster in this city, expired by limitation today. He entered the postoffice as clerk in October, 1859, and from that time to this day he has passed out mail to the people, missing in thirty years just eight days—six days as a witness in the United States court at Springfield and two days in Chicago, when Postmaster General Jewett held his famous powwow with presidential postmasters. His conduct and office have often been referred to in debates in congress. Now that the Democrats are in power he is willing to step out. Mr. Isaac Fielding, editor of the Champaign Times, of this city, and a friend of Wm. R. Morrison, thas been nominated by the president to succeed Mr. McAllister.

CHICAGO BOODLERS.

> ment of a receiver. MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR. MINNEAPOLIS. Dec. 22.-The Northwestern Miller's annual review of the milling industry in this city, shows that the year's product of flour will be 6,616,700 barrels. The receipts of wheat for twelve months, to December 1, have been 45,577,190 bushels, and the shipments 12,337,700 bushels, against 32,832,620 and 5,729,750 respectively lost year.

TAMMANY HALL RESOLUTIONS. New York, Dec. 22.-Tammany Hall

in a barn, where she had passed the night.

She managed, after a time, to convey to the police that she had been carried to the place by a party of young brates, whose names she did not know, and subjected to frightful treatment by them. The police are powerless, owing to the girl's inability to give any definite pointers. She may die from her injuries.

A MOB STAVED OFF.

Louisville, Dec. 22—A Courier-Journal.

lish a claim for 88,000 today before Judge Tuley by proving that Mrs. Elizabeth Bunch, a light mulatto, who recently died here, aged 70, was the issue of a secret marriage long ago between a Miss Curtis, of Parkersburg, W. Va., and James Washington, the negro coachman of the Curtis tamily. The Miss Curtis belongs to the same aristocrat stock into which President George Washington married. Miss bond is the only living descendent of the coachman. She succeeded in showing that Mrs. Bunch was really the daughter of Miss Curtis, while, the latter was a school girl, but failed to show that Miss Curtis and the coachman were ever married, and therefore was unable to prove the claim. Judge Tuley consequently disallowed the young colored woman's claim for the 88,001.

PRINTING OFFICE BURNED PRINTING OFFICE BURNED
NEW ORLEADS, La., Dec. 22 - Fire broke
out last night in Owen Gernon's printing
office and book bindery on the fourth floor
of ouliding No. 22 Camp street, and spread
to the other doors which were occupied by
Geo. S. Warbrig's grocer. Before the fire
was extinguished, drinage to the extent of
\$20,000 was done.

HIGHER AGAIN. CHECAGO, Dec. 22—The Atchison has has been induced to withdraw its opposi-tion to the advance in California excursion

PHILADELPHIA GETS TYNG.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 22.—Jas. A. Tyng, the well known Harvard college pitcher, has been signed and will play ball with the Philadelphia base ball club next season. Tyng is a fine all-around player and will assume the duties of the newly created office of director of athletic sports of the Philadelphia club. FOR A PURITY OF BALLOT.

GARDEN CITY, Dec. 22.—Delegates representing twelve counties of western Kansas assembled in convention today and adopted measures with a view to upholding the purity of the ballot. This is intended to remedy the evil effects which have attended some of the county seat contents in the past.

PAPER BAG SWINDLERS. St. Joseph, Dec. 22.—Swindlers are victimizing Kansas merchants by offering to sell, for 50 cents per 1,000, paper bags that are worth \$2.10 per 1,000. They claim to be agents for a well-known firm of paper dealers, and have already duped nearly every merchant in the town of Wathena. FATALLY STABBED.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 22.—In a quarrel last night at Crestine. O., Charles Douglas was fatally stabbed by a man named George, both colored. The murder escaped and has not been caught yet.

Talking of quick time to Chicago.* By taking the 10:30 a.m. train on the Santa Fe that journey can now be made in pre-cisely 24 hours from leaving Wichita, with but one change of cars, and in this race for supremacy distancing its competitors in the race from 6 to 12 hours. Don't for-get this.

Don't fail to see those fine pianos that are offered so low by Samuel Scott, 224 East Douglas avenue. d25-8t I hereby notify all agents that I have sold one corner lot, corner Tenth and Larimer streets. M. E. Falkenstien.

We have a complete line of books and blanks as required by the township trus-tees, township treasurer, justice of the peace, constable and road overseer. Orders promptly filled. Correspondence solicited. THE WICHITA EAGLE,

The California Travel. The California Travel.

It has been generally known to the public that during the year past. That The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R. R. was not selling round trip excursion tickets except to southern California points. Their agents are now authorized to make the announcement that "The Short Line" is again in the field and from this time forward is prepared to do ticket excursion business to San Francisco and Portland, Oregon in addition to southern California points, allowing the purchaser Portland, Oregon in addition to southern California points, allowing the purchaser a choice of any of the different routes returning to Wichita or any of the cities upon the Missouri river. Stop over privileges allowed going and coming at any point within the limit of the ticket. Pulman service from Wichita daily to California, and Free Tourist Sleeping car service. Upon all main line trains these berths will be reserved upon amplication at the union tickserved upon application at the union tick-et office.

toffice.
The dates for these excursions are fixed for Nov. 17 and 24: Dec. 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29. Tickets limited six months from date of sale, \$60.00 for the round trip. The popular line for California, Oregon, Washington territory and all Pacific coast points is the Missouri Pacific, "Ft. Scott Route."

Important Notice.

The Chicago, Kansas & Nebraska railway "Rock Island Route" will open its line into Kansas City, Sunday Sept. 18, 1887, with two through trains each way daily. Elegant Pullman sleepers and a superb equipment generally, has been provided for these through trains, and passengers from any point on the C. K. & N. railroad, will find this new route to Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago, and all points north, east and south, not only the shortest but in all respects the most desirable and comfortable route in the state.

Our St. Joseph line will also have two through trains daily to and from the southwest with a brand new equipment especial-

through trains daily to and from the south-west with a brand new equipment especial-ly built for this service. Passengers tak-ing this line to the north, northwest, east and southeast, will find the accommoda-tions strictly first class. Time tables for these new trains will be given the public in a few days. C. A. RUTHERFORD, Resident agent, 200 East Douglas ave.

General ticket and passenger agent, To-eka, Kan. 100-tf Fagie Publishing House.

M. M. Murdock & Bro., proprietors, printers, binders, publishers and blank book manufacturers. All kinds of county, township and school district records and blanks. Legal blanks of every description Complete stock of justices' dockets and blanks. Job printing of all kinds. Correspondence solicited. Address all communications to

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R. P. MURDOCK, Manager, dSS-tf* w24-tf Wichita, Kansas.

Each Township Treasurer should have a Treasurer's Record, Stray Record, Transcripts, Compiled Laws of 1885, and a full assortment of blanks. For sale at

Pocket Real Estate. The Eagle pocket real estate book has become a universal favorite among dealers generally in the west. 25tf*

Take the new short line, G. K. & N., Rock Island route, to Kansas City, St. Joseph, Chicago and St. Louis. 114-tf

A MOBSTAVED OFF.
LOUISVILLE, Dec. 22.—A Courier-Journal special says a mob of seventy-five men marched into Tompkiusville last night and demanded that the five robbers now in jail there for robbing and barning the town be given up. They were refused and were told that if they attacked the jail there would be more men killed outside than inside the jail. The mob finally dispersed without accountification.

She may request on their behalf, while the accomadations for the delegates which can be here provided far exceeds that which can be offered in any other city in this country.

We favor the prompt and speedy enactment by the congress of the United States of such measures as will reduce the surplus now accumulated in the treasury, and limit the revenue to the needs of the government; but we demand American labor shall be zealously respected.

Washington's Col Oreo Bel Ation.

Free reclining chair cars are now running on all trains on the C. K. & N. railway, "Rock Island Route," between Wichita, Topeka, Kansas City, St. Joseph, Chicago, St. Louis. 94f

Everybody Takes It.

The Chicago, Kansas & Nebraska railway (St. Joseph & Iowa Railroad Co. lessee), is the best equipped line west of the Missouri river. Our equipment was built expressly for this line by the Pullman Palace Car Company, which is a guarantee to the traveling public that it is strictly first class. You will find all of our coaches elegantly unholstered and very comfortable in every particular. If you are going to any part of Kansas or Nebraska, or to any point east, remember you will never regret having started right, by taking the Chicago, Kansas & Nebraska railway. (Rock Island Route). For further particulars address Jno. Sebastian, G. T. & P. A., Topeka, Kan.

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eral News and Eastern Dispatches than any paper in the est prices ever displayed in the west.

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GOLDEN EAGLE SLAUGHTER SALE.

Our overcoat stock is tremendous and as the season has been rather backward we are overloaded. So to clean out we will sacrifice all our overcoat stock as our price list below will show, and a call at our house will convince you that we mean business, when we give you the cut prices.

\$22 50 \$16 50 27 00 22 50 Mens Meltons' Coats (dress) - - - - - - Mens Chinchilla Beaver, fur collar, (storm) Mens Diognal Worsted, blue black and brown 16 50 13 50 Mens Cork Screw Worsted, blue, black and brown 12 00 9 50 Mens Beaver, blue, black and brown Mens Union, blue, black and brown 14 00 10 00 5 75 8 50 12 00 8 50 Mens all wool Ulsters, blue, black and brown Mens all wool Storm Ülsters (zero) 15 00 11 75 Boys overcoats \$1 oo, 2 oo, 2 50, 3 oo to 3 50,

Fur Caps in all styles, worth \$2 00 for \$1 00. All winter goods in proportion.

GOLDEN EAGLE ONE-PRICE CLOTHIER. GROSS, Proprietor.

228 cor Douglas and Lawrence Aves.

Do Not Re Alarmei Or purchase your tickets for California on account of the advance in rates on January 1. as the Missouri Pacific, "Ft. Scott I. as the Missouri Pacific, "Ft. Scott Route," will have two excursions to the Pacific coast, one in January and one in February, at the same price as they are now sold, namely \$80, with the same privileges of stopping at pleasure and choice of routes returning, taking in all points on the Central Pacific road, Salt Lake, Pueblo, Colorado Springs and Denver. Do not forget that this is the great southern route and takes you below all storms and snow blockades, where it is always summer, and the only line that can take passengers via this route. Our next excursion will be December 29, and parties purchasing tickets, deciding to delay their trip can use them any time during the month of January, providing they are used as far as Colton. Cala, by the 28th. After which time they are good up to the expiration of the limit, six months. If contemplating a trip to the Pacific coast it will be to your interest to call upon or addrees me. Pullman buffet and free family sleeping cars are run through, in which berths can now be reserved. Full particulars regarding these popular excursions will be cheerfully given by N. C. Keeran, passenger and ticket agent, 187 North Main street, Wichita.

Dissolution Notice.

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The co-partnership heretofore existing between C. B. Campbell and C. C. Kenyon has been dissolved by mutual consent. C. C. Kenyon retiring from the business. Wichita, Kan., Dec. 29, 1887.

C. B. CAMPBELL.

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C. C. KENYON.

WICHITA & SUBCRBAN, Nice Warm Stoves,

Cars leave the post office, corner of First and Water streets every hour, commencing at 7:10 a. m. until 10:10 p. m. for Fair mount and points between.

LEE TAYLOR, Manager.

Office 211 North Main, room 1. 30-tf

Hot tea, Hot coffee, Hot checolate, Candy, fruits, pastry, Give us a call, Amanda Biane. 421 Lewis street, Wichita, Kansas,

will be sold by the Missouri Pacific, Ft Scott route, for the holidays at one fare for the round trip on December 23d, 24th, 25th, 26th, 30th and 31st, and also January 1st and 2d, good to return up to and including January 3d, 188s. Tickets are on sale at city ticket office, 127 Main street, and depot, corner Second and Wichita sts.

N. C. KEERAN, 29tf Passenger and Ticket Agt.

Robert J. Burdette. The great humorist, will lecture in the First Presbyterian churchon Friday night, December 23, commencing at 8 o'clock. Reserved seats 75 cents; general admission 50 cents; gallery 25 cents. Seats on sale at Rock Island ticket office. 28 4t

First class silver ware can be bought very low at 224 East Douglas avenue. Samuel Scott. d25-8t

Beautiful gents' slippers from 75c to 84 a pair at McNaghten & Miles, 104 West Douglas.

Samuel Scott is seiling watches, silver-ware and jewelry very low. To get his prices is to insure quick sales and satisfaction to the buyer. 224 East Douglas avenue.

| Second Street S

Remember the Last Day, December 20th, 1887 Upon which the popular Santa Fe route will run their last low rate \$60 excursion to Southern California cities, also includ-

No change in rates will occur in cheap one way excursion tickets, and this line will continue as heretofore to furnish this class with the best accommodations and free tourist sleepers through without change to California.

For further information call upon or address the undersigned at Union Ticket Office, No. 122 North Main Street or Union depot near Oak street, Wichita, Kansas,

W. D. MURDOCK,

Dissolution Notice. The firm of Greene & Marsh is hereby dissolved by mutual consent.

R. E. GREENE.
20:3° Gro. W. Marsh.
Dated, Wichita, Kan., Dec. 20, 87.

Galveston Fish Market. Covington, Smith & Co., wholesale and retail dealers in fish, oysters, poultry, game, butter and eggs. No 426 North Main st., Wichita, Kan. Telephone No. 302.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Fourth National bank will be held on Tuesday, January 17, 1888, at their banking house at 4 o'clock p.m.

2061 GEO. C. STRONG, Cashier.

Sherifi's Sale. James O. Hanlan, defendant.
By virue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court shiling in and the Sechrolick Court.
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Gollowing described personnal property
Forty-four pieces of taking dress goods, appirals
at \$22.00, and will be sold to satisfy said order of said
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Sheriff Sedgrenk County, Kansus,
By T. F. Bhoway, Under-Sheriff,
Gordon & Coffin, plaintiff's attorneys. Solid

Sheriff's Sale. District Court, Sedirwick County, Kansas, John B. Ellison & Sons, plaintiff,

James O. Hanlan, defendant James O. Hanlan, defendant.
By cirtus of an order of sale issued out of the District Court skilling in and for Sedgedek. County Kansas, whereth John R. Ellison & sons are plain tiff and James O. Hanloin is defendant, I. will, or Monday, the Ind day of January. A. B. 1888, as order by I.m. at the Sheriff's office, in the city of Wichita, Kansas, offer for sale, at public auction, but he highest bidder, or their days time with good security, the following property.
A lot of tailor's goods, consisting of cloths, dres goods, thread, buttons, etc., and will be sold to satisfy and order of sale.

Special Sale of Hais and Beansts.
On Thursday, December 22, the North
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